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## CITY SHOWS SUPPORT FOR TROOPS

**Medicine Hat** – Local residents, who have served in conflicts around the globe, are being recognized for their outstanding contribution Tuesday.

The City of Medicine Hat is hosting a Support Our Troops event Aug. 21 at 7 p.m. in Riverside Veterans' Memorial Park.

"We are holding this event to recognize the outstanding contribution residents are making to serve and protect not only the citizens of Canada, but to bring peace to war torn countries," says Cathy Smith, Alderman Responsible for Civic Functions.

Soldiers from CFB Suffield, local police officers and members of the South Alberta Light Horse will be in attendance to receive Certificates of Appreciation.

"I encourage all residents to come to the event so show their support and join us in saying thank you to these individuals for dedicating their time and energy to protecting the lives of people affected by war," adds Smith.

WHAT: Support Our Troops Recognition

WHEN: Tuesday, Aug. 21

7 p.m.

WHERE: Riverside Veterans' Memorial Park

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